IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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OPTICAL PIBER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated July 26, 2004, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Effective October 1, 2003

CLAIMS AS			(Column 1)		(Column 2)			SMALL E	YTITY	OR	OTHER SMALL		
TOTAL CLAIMS					-		ŀ	RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE	
FOR			NUMBER FILED		NUMB	ER EXTRA		BASIC FEE	385.00	OR	BASIC FEE	770.00	
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS			minus 20=		*			X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS			minus 3 =		*			X43=		OR	X86=		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT								+145=		OR	+290=		
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